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Schools of the City Are Holding Exhibits Today

WORK OF PUPILS IS ON DISPLAY IN THE SEVERAL BUILDINGS.

MANUAL TRAINING; PENMANSHIP

Drawing and Sewing Form Interesting Exhibit and Show Well Developed Talent.

Thursday afternoon and this afternoon were "exhibition" days in the schools of Dixon. All the grades up to the high school in the high school building and the pupils of the Woodworth school gave their exhibit Thursday afternoon. This afternoon the grades in the E. C. Smith and Truman schools are displaying their handiwork. The north side schools are exhibiting their work this afternoon and will continue on into the evening.

On the south side there were no programs of any kind; it was thought by the school management to eliminate this feature of the exhibit this year. The program, however, is an incentive to bring out the patrons in larger numbers. Considering the fact that there was no entertainment the interest manifested in the exhibit this year is much greater than a year ago.

Splendid Work.

The pupils have on display some examples of good work. The manual training products are especially good as well as the drawing. Writing is featured this year. There are specimens of work in this study from every grade and some splendid examples of this art are displayed. In the schools of Dixon the muscular movement is taught and the results are good.

One of the most interesting exhibits is the sewing exhibit by the pupils of the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grades, under the instruction of Miss Bess Clark. In addition to sewing, Miss Clark teaches grammar to these grades.

Miss Ada Shippert is the instructor in drawing for these grades and she also teaches reading. Miss Elma Erb teaches history and music and Miss Agnes Tague manual training and geography. Miss Mary Erwin teaches music and arithmetic to the grades above the fourth.

In addition to the manual training in the high school building Miss Tague also teaches the manual training art in the E. C. Smith school.

Writing and spelling in these grades is divided among all of the teachers.

The work of the pupils in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades must not be lost sight of, for some of the display work from these grades is very fine. Drawing and writing is taught in addition to the regular work, as there is no departmental work done in the grades below the fifth.

On the manual training tables was displayed some very clever articles made by the boys and girls. Most of the articles are useful as well as ornamental and can be used in the home. On the sewing tables are articles useful and ornamental. The girls will take the garments home and wear them.

The pupils of the north side schools have on display today some very fine work.

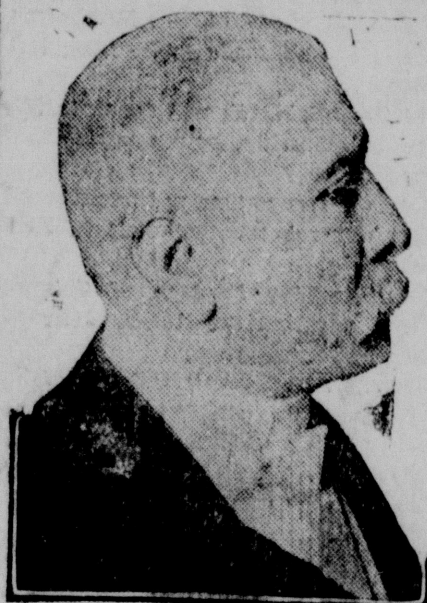
It is wonderful how much improvement the pupils have made in the arts in their school work. It certainly solves the problem, can the boy and girl learn to use the needle, the hammer and saw to any advantage? It is proven by their work that they can, and they do it well.

Mrs. A. R. Puffer and Miss Lincoln of Malta, are visiting at the residence of Mrs. J. M. Hooker on Peoria avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Hibarger and the latter's mother, Mrs. Waterbury, of Polo are spending this week in Dixon at the cottage of their son in law, Mr. Shaver, on Assembly Place. Mrs. C. C. Backus and daughter, Margaret Lou, and Miss Kittle O'Connell went to Minonk this morning for a short visit.

PORFIRIO DIAZ

Mexican Dictator, in Ill Health, Resigns His Office.



WILL REDECORATE WALLS OF LIBRARY

BUILDING WILL THEREFORE BE CLOSED FOR THREE OR FOUR DAYS.

The board of trustees of the Dixon public library have arranged for the retinting of the walls and ceilings of the first and second floors of the building, to be done as quickly as possible after Saturday, May 27. The building will be closed for three or four days while the work is done. It is necessary to cover the books, cases, tables and desks to protect them from being soiled.

Notice of the reopening will be given in the daily papers as soon as possible and no fines will run against the holders of books for these days.

ANNUAL TRCK MEET OCCURS TOMORROW

YOUNG ATHLETES FROM GRADES OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO COMPETE.

The annual track meet for graded schools of the city will be held tomorrow forenoon at Rock River Military grounds and every indication is that the affair will be a big success. The meet last year aroused the young athletes of the different schools and some close contests may be expected in the affair tomorrow afternoon, as all of the boys who have entered have been working hard. The meet is being conducted by Physical Director Maddox of the Y. M. C. A. and Prof. Threlkeld of the military academy. The public is invited to attend.

MIGHT HAVE PILED TRAIN IN A HEAP

BROKEN BRAKE BEAM DISCOVERED ON STERLING PASSENGER THIS MORNING.

The Sterling passenger was delayed here about ten minutes this morning while a broken brake rod was removed. It is extremely fortunate that the broken rod was discovered by the car repairer, for had the train started and reached its usual speed a serious accident would doubtless have resulted had the rod dropped and derailed the car. The broken brake was on the first car and the derailment of that coach would have piled the entire train up in a heap.

NOT GUILTY OF DISTURBING PEACE
Sander Dalarde, a foreigner living in St. Paul, was arrested on complaint of Alex. Seigmund yesterday, charged with disturbing the peace, and tried in Judge Kent's court. Attorney Wynn defended the stranger and he was found not guilty.

LOCAL FANS WILL SEE GOOD GAMES

STERLING NATIONALS TO PLAY BROWNS HERE SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

BROWNS DOING GOOD WORK

Sterling West Ends to Be Here for Game Tuesday Afternoon—Notes of Sport.

The game between the Dixon Browns and the Sterling Nationals at Athletic park Sunday afternoon is going to be the real goods. That gang from Whiteside county is playing real baseball now and even our local fans realize that they will have all they've got to clean the visitors. For which reason they are having some good healthy practice every evening.

It will never do, don't y'know, for the chesty clouters to come right into our own back yard and take away our bacon and the Brown clothed tossers promise a battle royal, should any such thieving attempt be made. Bob Woodyatt, who was never better, has all his curves, slants, fade aways and wet ones working to perfection and it's a lead pipe he's going to serve up some dope that will make the Sterling bunch think they never bumped up against any real pitching before.

The Browns are getting their batting eyes now and should be able to fatten their averages Sunday. They have been having batting practice every evening this week and some of the lads are regular Ping Brodies. All the fans will be out Sunday to see the bombardment. Besides, the Browns will need their boosting, as reports from Sterling state that a gang of noise makers are going to accompany the team from that city.

Decoration Day Games.
Next Tuesday, Memorial day, the Browns will play another fast Sterling team two games. The West Ends is what the other aggregation is called and they have beaten the Nationals, Sunday's opponents, a series of games. The morning game Tuesday will be played in Sterling, the afternoon contest being staged at Athletic park here.

Sterling Pros. Win.
Sterling's professional team, which was stolen from DeKalb, won their first game under the Sterling management at Sterling yesterday afternoon, the game being very largely attended. The Sterling bunch defeated the LaSalle Independents, 10 to 3. Mayor J. W. McDonald inaugurated the season by pitching the first ball.

ILLINOIS ELKS ELECT OFFICERS

STATE CONVENTION HAS CONCLUDED TWO DAYS' SESSION AT ALTON.

Alton, May 26—Special—The Illinois convention of Elks adjourned last evening after two days' session. A parade was given in the afternoon. Officers elected were:

President—Bruce Campbell, East St. Louis.

Vice President—Roy Platt, Galesburg.

Secretary—F. A. Farnham, Springfield.

Treasurer—Samuel Ryerson, Rock Island.

Executive Committee—Wm. Snell, Litchfield; E. A. Hoover, Taylorville and E. R. Smith, Joliet.

EXTENDS THANKS FOR THE VETERANS

On behalf of the surviving members of the Thirteenth Illinois Infantry, I desire to thank the friends who so generously tendered the use of their automobiles for a ride over the city yesterday morning, for your patriotic and loyal assistance in spreading sunshine across the path of these men that they might take to their homes sweet memories of their short stay in Dixon. Before another May 24th rolls around doubtless some of these brave men will have joined their comrades in that land beyond.

Charles H. Noble, President.

WYOMING IS LAUNCHED

Slides into Delaware River at Philadelphia.

Latest of United States Dreadnaughts Is Christened by Miss Dorothy Knight.

Philadelphia, May 26.—In the presence of the governor and a delegation of visitors from the state for which it was named, Miss Dorothy Eunice Knight, daughter of former Chief Justice Jesse Knight of Wyoming, christened the battleship Wyoming, the nation's latest dreadnaught, when the warship was launched at the yard of the Cramp Ship and Engine company in this city.

Governor J. M. Carey of Wyoming and several officials of the state, with Secretary Meyer of the navy department and other naval officials, were among those on the launching stand when the big battleship slid into the waters of the Delaware river.

When the Wyoming gets its full armament the warship will not be surpassed by any fighting ship in the world. The length over all is 550 feet; breadth of the water line, ninety-three feet; displacement, 26,000 tons. The battleship is a little more than one-third completed. It will carry fifty-four officers and 1,000 enlisted men.

The Wyoming is one of the six first class battleships under construction at different yards. When the whole number is completed another fleet will be added to the navy which will strengthen in fighting strength than the entire American navy at the end of the Spanish-American war.

WANT HOLWAY FOR C. & N. W. AGENT

HAS BEEN CASHIER OF LOCAL FREIGHT OFFICE MANY YEARS.

The local employees of the Northwestern railroad company and many of the local merchants have started an agitation toward having Thomas A. Holway, cashier at the local freight office, appointed to the agency here, made vacant by the death of Hugh Flannery, and wherever the matter has been suggested Mr. Holway's candidacy has received great encouragement.

It is argued by his friends that his continuous connection with the local office, over 23 years, has given him a knowledge of local conditions that no other agent who could be appointed could possibly have. During that time he has had an active interest in the local business of the company, and this experience gives him all the knowledge of the affairs necessary to make him an excellent man for the place.

BARN AND CONTENTS DESTROYED BY FIRE

C. E. KINNEY SUFFERS LOSS BY FIRE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON

C. E. Kinney suffered considerable loss by fire between 5 and 6 o'clock Thursday afternoon. He is living on the old Whitehead place, a mile south of the Shippert corner and two miles north of Eldena. His barn with all the hay, corn and oats it contained and also his horse, which was in the barn, were burned as well as the sheds and a hay and straw stack. The other buildings on the place were saved. Mr. Kinney has no idea how the fire started, as when it was first discovered the stack and barn were ablaze. He just moved onto the place this spring.

FIRING SQUAD GOES TO SUGAR GROVE

TO PARTICIPATE IN MEMORIAL EXERCISES ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

The firing squad of the Dixon post, G. A. R., has been invited to participate in the Memorial exercises to be held at Sugar Grove church, Palmyra, Sunday afternoon. All of the members of the squad has signified their willingness to attend and will do so, as will many other members of the post. Judge James Cartright, of the Illinois supreme court, will deliver the address of the day.

THEIR MARRIED LIFE NOT SMOOTH

MRS. ALEX. BONDI SEEKS TO HAVE HER HUSBAND ARRESTED.

HE LEAVES WITH THEIR CHILD

Friends of Husband Say She Abused the Child and Threw It Against a Tree.

That marriage ceremony performed by Justice Kent a few weeks ago, instead of clarifying the atmosphere of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Bondi, has made matters worse and the matrimonial bark has struck the breakers and indications are that it will be wrecked. It will be remembered that Bondi and his wife reside in the foreign colony east of this city and that Justice Kent united them in marriage about three weeks ago. The couple had been living together for years before the ceremony and are the parents of a two year old child.

Wednesday Mrs. Bondi came to Dixon and wished to have her companion arrested, but was discouraged by the officials, as apparently Bondi had not been doing anything for which he could be held to the law. But Mrs. B. was far from being satisfied and several people, including a number of friends of her husband, are said to have overheard her make threats that she would kill the child.

Threw Child Against Tree.
Friends of the husband told him that after arriving at their home she threw the baby against a tree and otherwise abused the little one. This caused the husband to consult his friends, and Tuesday morning he and another man drove to the home, sent the woman to another house on an errand and while she was gone loaded the youngster into the buggy and drove away. Bondi's whereabouts are unknown.

Mrs. Bondi came to Dixon yesterday afternoon and spent several hours trying to get some trace of her better half. However, it is almost certain that he has left Dixon, and Mrs. Bondi now has the house to herself. It is possible a warrant may be issued against Bondi on the charge of wife abandonment.

Warrant Issued.
A warrant was issued today for Bondi's arrest on the charge of wife abandonment and the officials in Chicago, to which city the man went, have been ordered to either arrest the man or get the baby and return it to the mother, who is frantic with grief because the child is gone. Mrs. Bondi denies flatly that she ever abused the child in any way and says if she can get the baby back she does not care if Bondi returns any of her property.

MADE REMARKABLE TILE DITCH RECORD

ROLPH MACHINE DUG 160 RODS IN A DAY ON C. W. BREWSTER FARM.

A Rolph ditcher, manufactured at Dixon, dug 160 rods of tile ditch on the C. W. Brewster farm in East Grove township Thursday. This is a remarkable record and surpasses the most sanguine expectations of the friends of the machine.

Mr. Rolph was not with the machine, as he is busy at the factory finishing another machine. The company is occupying the Dixon Manufacturing company's plant. The Rolph Ditcher company is one of Dixon's infant industries with bright prospects for the future.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL ENTERTAINS MONDAY

The S. Mary's parochial school closed this afternoon with appropriate exercises by the children. The annual entertainment for the school will be given in the opera house on Monday evening, and the program indicates that the affair will be exceptionally interesting.

Mrs. W. A. Wood of Laurel, Miss., writes to renew her subscription to the Telegraph, adding "I could not get along without it."

Rock River Assembly Will Make Bid For Sousa's Band

EDWARD C. TURNER

Ohio Prosecuting Attorney in Charge of Bribery Inquiry.



RECOVERED PURSE LEFT ON TRAIN

GUEST AT JACOB EGLER HOME FORTUNATE IN RECOVERING MONEY.

Mrs. N. F. Moss of Chicago arrived in Dixon last evening for a short visit at the Jacob Egler home, on Second street. Mrs. Moss came from Chicago on passenger train No. 11, due here at 8:37 o'clock, and after alighting at the local station discovered that she had left her purse, containing a considerable sum of money, on the train. Night Agent Garland was notified, and he telegraphed to the conductor of the train, the message being given that official at Sterling. The result was the return of the lost pocketbook this morning and it was turned over to its owner.

FILE OBJECTIONS TO JUDGEMENT

NORTH DIXON PROPERTY OWNERS CLAIM IRREGULARITY IN NOTICE.

Through their attorney, Harry C. Warner, seven property owners in North Dixon have filed in the Lee county court an objection to the county giving judgment against their property or an entry of an order for the sale of the same, for delinquency in a special assessment made under an ordinance of the City of Dixon, No. 112, series of 1909.

The property owners who are objecting to the procedure are Josephine Sargent, May L. Nettz, Henry S. Dixon, George D. Laing, Blanche S. Charters, Addie Gooch and Rosa Jordan. The ordinance is one for several blocks of cement sidewalk abutting property owned by them on Everett, Boyd and Water streets, and all of the work has been done.

The objectors maintain that notice was not given according to law of the pendency of the proceedings of such special assessment, that no notice was given of the time and place of filing petition for such special assessment and that no notice was given of the time and place of filing the assessment roll. They therefore object to the court rendering judgment against the property for failure to pay such special assessment, and they also object to the entry of an order of sale against such property.

All of the improvement provided for by the ordinance has been made, the total cost of it being \$738.93.

Mrs. Barney Tunney and two sons of Oklahoma City are visiting at the home of J. A. Tunney in North Dixon.

PROSPECTS GOOD TO SECURE THIS GREATEST MUSICAL ATTRACTION.

SEEK HOMER, OPERATIC STAR

Musical Features This Year Will Make Northern Illinois Take Notice.

The board of directors of the Rock River Assembly held a meeting yesterday afternoon, when they went over details of the program for the coming session in an effort to get the list of events ready for the printers.

The board has been disappointed in some of the attractions they had hoped to sign. The main cause of regret is the inability to get the Thomas orchestra. Reports from the management of the great Chicago organization are to the effect that it will have disbanded for the summer with, in a few weeks, and will not be reorganized until after the Assembly has closed. The Thomas orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Frederick Stock, is distinctly a winter organization and has never tried to keep together during the summer months.

Sousa's Band.
However, an effort is being made to secure Sousa's band, acknowledged the world's greatest musical organization. Sousa is now in Europe, but it is said he will be back in this country long before the Assembly begins, and information received here would indicate that he expects to travel west with his musicians.

Should this be true, the management of the Assembly will leave no stone unturned in their efforts to secure him. Sousa is the greatest of all bandmasters and his engagement for the Assembly will doubtless be a great thing.

May Get Homer.
It is very likely the Assembly will secure Homer, the operatic star. Arrangements have been made with her except selecting a date and President Krape announced yesterday that it is almost certain that she will be secured.

The program and the directors both state that more money is being expended this year than ever before, and the people of northern Illinois cannot help but take notice of the superb line of talent to be offered to the people.

THREE BOYS DROWN IN ILLINOIS RIVER

Peoria, May 26—Three Peoria lads lost their lives by drowning today, the fatalities occurring within two hours of each other. The dead are: Andrew McGann, aged 15; Francis Lynch, aged 17 and Emil Bowman, aged 18. All three were drowned in the Illinois river.

John Burke of Amboy was here today.

Jacob Wagner was here from Ashton today.

Judge R. S. Farrand and Court Reporter Gossman have returned from Oregon.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Latitude, 41 deg., 48 min. N.
Longitude, 89 deg., 27 min. W.
705 feet above sea level.

Above data furnished by H. R. Spafford, assistant chief engineer of the Illinois Central Railroad Co.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours:

Wednesday	71	51
Sunday	82	64 .03
Monday	78	62 .40
Tuesday	74	64 .06
Thursday	84	62
Thursday	96	61

Chicago, May 26—Fair with continued high temperature today and probably tomorrow; moderate to brisk southerly winds.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

PAST AND PROSPECTIVE

Wedding Gifts.

Before buying elsewhere don't fail to see the beautiful goods suitable for wedding gifts at the Gift Shop, 226

Miscellaneous Shower.

Twenty friends surprised Miss Winifred Puterbaugh last evening at her home on Peoria avenue. They brought gifts for the bride to be and a delightful evening was enjoyed by all. Dainty refreshments were served and music helped to fill out an evening of pleasure. Miss Puterbaugh is to marry Harry Rhodes in the near future.

Refreshments at Grandy.

The Grand Detour Cemetery committee, with the assistance of a few others, will serve ice cream, cake and lemonade Tuesday afternoon at the Aid hall in the village.

Picnic at Pine Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Lake of Weno-na, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lohr and family and Miss Ada Lohr went to Pine creek today to spend the day picnicking. The trip was made in Stark's auto.

Sugar Grove Ladies' Aid.

A most delightful day was enjoyed Wednesday by the Ladies' Aid society of Sugar Grove at the home of Mrs. A. J. Myers in Dixon. There was a good attendance and while accomplishing much good work a very social time was enjoyed. With part of the money in the treasury it was agreed to purchase some new camp chairs to replace many of the old ones at the church, which usefulness has been outlived. A voluntary contribution of money by Mrs. C. L. Moore and Mrs. Henry Decker who were guests of the society, was much appreciated. The words of praise of this society from these two ladies was very encouraging. Two new members were added. The next meeting on June 14, will be in the nature of a picnic and will be held with Mrs. Elmer Byers on the E. W. Smith farm, to which members and their families are invited.

Musical Enjoyed.

This afternoon in Macabee hall Mrs. O. H. Martin, Miss Myra Young and Miss Clara Rink were hostesses to 160 guests at a musicale which proved a genuine treat and was also a surprise to the guests.

The hall had been artistically decorated with iris lilies, peonies and wild roses, a huge jar of the latter in a brass bowl resting on the piano. A dainty table held a bank of tulips, peonies and ferns, with pink candles in silver holders, all the accessories and the chief color note being pink, complemented with the purple of the iris. The program was at 2:30.

Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the program, which follows:

Musical.

Etude Op. 45 Heller
Miss Ruth Altman
Just a Wearyin' For You Bond
I Love You Truly Bond
Master Bob Herrick
I Hid My Love, My Love
..... Guy D'Hardelet
Miss E. Marie O'Brien
Bendemeer's Stream Gatty
Robert Anderson
Life's Lullaby Lane
Master Bob Herrick
Valse, Op. 31, No. 1 Mazkowski
Miss Ruth Altman
The Quiet of the Woods, Max Reger
a To None Will I My Love E'er
Discover Richard Strauss
Miss E. Marie O'Brien
Who Is Sylvia Schubert
Master Bob Herrick
Sing Me to Sleep Gredie
Robert Anderson
Violin Obligato by Miss Altman
Sing On Donza
Master Bob Herrick
Good Bye Tosti
Miss E. Marie O'Brien
Mrs. Will Smith accompanist for Miss O'Brien
Mrs. Goodsell accompanist for Mr. Anderson
Miss Altman accompanist for Master Bob Herrick

Among the guests from out of the city were Miss Mae Thayer, Clinton; Mrs. George Herrick, St. Louis; Mrs. McAllister of Sycamore; Mesdames Brookfield, Ed. Lawrence, John Stager, Crawford, Paul Dillon and Wolfersperger of Sterling.

The musicale proved to be one of the happiest social events of the season.

Guest at Rice Home.

Miss Mildred Ireland of Paxton will be a guest for the week end at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Rice.

Surprised.

Lyle Risdon and Earl Smucker were delightfully surprised Wednesday evening at the Risdon home near Eldena. The evening was spent in games and music. At midnight a dainty lunch was served, after which the guests departed for their homes. A number of guests went from Dixon by auto.

Entertained.

C. B. Fowler entertained friends with a beefsteak fry at the Pines last evening.

Scramble Tea.

Ira Lewis entertained a number of friends last evening at his suite of rooms on First street in honor of Miss Nina Ball of Amboy. A delicious scramble tea was served and a pleasant evening spent.

To Entertain.

Mrs. Ward Hall is entertaining the members of her class of the N. D. H. S. this evening in honor of Mrs. Clarence Floto, who was a member.

Orchestra Gave Musicales.

The orchestra of the Lutheran church gave a musicale at the church Thursday evening which proved of great interest to those attending. The orchestra has eleven members and they were assisted by local talent. Numbers of special interest were the violin solo by Raymond Meyer, the piano duet by Misses Ruth Altman and Vera Jacobus, vocal solos by Mr. Sachs and Miss Annette Gonnerman vocal duet by Misses Irene Eichenberg and Ada Shippert and quartet by Misses Ruth and Margaret Altman, Eichenberg and Shippert. The readings by Mr. Kroulik of the college were also fine.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11.
Christian Endeavor, 6:45 p. m.
Evening service, 7:30.
Midweek service, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

The annual Memorial service will be held in the evening. The G. A. R., W. R. C. and Circle and Sons of Veterans will attend in a body. All others welcome. The subject of the sermon will be "What Mean These Memorials?" There will be special patriotic music.

CORONER'S JURY SAYS

EPILEPSY CAUSED DEATH

The coroner's jury which investigated the death of Chauncey C. Ansteth, who dropped dead Thursday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. S. Trough, 909 Center avenue, returned a verdict late yesterday afternoon finding that the deceased died from a severe attack of epilepsy, of which he had been a sufferer for some time.

The funeral will be held Saturday at 10:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Trough, Rev. Fisher, pastor of the Christian church, officiating. Interment will be in Oakwood.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

Eleanor Otis & Co. in a comedy sketch pleased a large house last night at the Family theatre. There are three people in the cast and all are clever.

LaBelle Four, tight rope walkers, and comedy acrobats, made a decided hit in their act, which is clever and new. Their work is exceptionally fast for this line of stuff and everyone who was there last night said that it was fine.

Pictures were excellent and there will be a complete change for this evening as usual. The subjects for tonight are both good.

MACARONI DANDIES.

Grotesque Fashions in England in the Eighteenth Century.

Dandyism developed a new phase of quiet richness during early Georgian times, and the court exquisites were stately figures in finely laced shirts, long skirted coats and gold clocked stockings. The hats, worn by the beau were modified reproductions of those in fashion at Versailles, and the art of wearing them was shown in the tilt. In fact, different angles in the tilt identified the wearer's status and locality.

In 1772 dandyism became again paramount. A band of young bloods returned from an extended tour abroad, and while in Italy they had contrived to get several new ideas about dress into their somewhat empty heads.

Fired with an ever growing sense of their own importance as arbiters of fashion, they formed themselves into a group known as the Macaroni club. In contradistinction to the good old fashioned Beefsteak club of London.

The Macaronies dressed their hair in enormous side curls, with a hideous knocker-like twist at the back. With this exaggerated coiffure a tiny hat was worn, which it was correct for the wearer to raise with his tasseled cane.

A soft white handkerchief was tied in a huge bow under the Macaroni's chin. His coat was short, and his tight knee breeches were made of striped or flowered silk. Thus garbed, with innumerable dangling seals, two watches at least, silk stockings and diamond buckled shoes, the dandy walked abroad, eminently satisfied with himself and quite convinced that his appearance was greatly envied.—"Ben Brummel and His Times."

Pretty Heavy Umbrellas.

The great objection to umbrellas 100 years ago was their weight, and when it is stated as a matter of fact that the very smallest umbrella then weighed no less than three and a half pounds it will probably be admitted that the objection was a justifiable one. Instead of the thin rainproof fabrics which now form the covering of umbrellas nothing better was known than leather or oiled cloth. The ribs were of wood or whalebone, and such a thing as a steel rod was, of course, unknown. The stick was usually of heavy oak. In those days, too, many umbrellas had the additional incumbrance of feathers over the top on the theory of "shedding water off a duck's back." But the oiled cloth and leather umbrellas, notwithstanding the feathers, were apt to leak.

WILL ADDRESS SCHOOLS MONDAY

PATRIOTIC INSTRUCTION BY MEMBERS OF G. A. R. AND W. R. C.

In consideration of the proximity of Memorial day, patriotic instruction will be given in the schools of the city by members of the Grand Army or Relief Corps next Monday at 9 a. m.

Captain A. C. Bardwell will address the pupils of the south side high school. C. H. Noble and Samuel Hoon will address the grades in the high school and E. C. Smith buildings. Mrs. H. C. Dixon and five other ladies will speak at the ward schools on the south side. Mrs. Allie Read and others will address the pupils of the north side schools.

Neither Rot Nor Sympathy.

Teacher—Willie, did your father come yesterday? Pupil—No, ma'am. He said the licking would hurt him more than it would me. Teacher—What rot! Your father is too sympathetic. Pupil—No, ma'am, but he's got the rheumatism in both arms. —Lippincott's.

One Better.

Prima Donna—I have here a certificate from a doctor to the effect that I can't sing tonight. Manager—Why go to all that trouble? I'll give you a certificate that you never could sing! —London Tit-Bits.

Hatred is like fire. It makes even light rubbish deadly. —Elliot.

GOOD NEWS FOR CATARRH SUFFERERS

So many hundreds of catarrh victims who have taken the HYOMEI treatment, have written thanking us for publishing our method of taking the HYOMEI vapor treatment in connection with the inhaler that we gladly publish it again.

The vapor treatment is especially recommended in stubborn cases of chronic catarrh of long standing, but remember that the inhaler should be used daily as usual.

This treatment only takes five minutes time before going to bed. Pour a teaspoonful of HYOMEI into a bowl of boiling water, cover the head and bowl with towel and breathe for several minutes the vapor that arises. You will be surprised at the result of this treatment: it makes the head feel fine and clear; you will sleep better, and that stuffed up feeling will gradually disappear.

This method will break up the worst cold in the head in one night.

A bottle of HYOMEI costs 50 cents at Rowland Bros., who guarantee it. Complete outfit, which includes the little pocket inhaler, costs \$1.00.

No stomach dosing; just breathe HYOMEI and cure catarrh and all diseases of the breathing organs. Free trial bottle by addressing Booth's Hyomei Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

CITY IN BRIEF

—Dr. Stewart, osteopath, 206 1st T. J. Miller went east this morning.

Fred Hessling of Sterling was here yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Carney has gone to Freeport to visit.

Mrs. Charles Mein has gone to Chicago for a short visit.

Mrs. Jacob Bucher has returned from a visit in Clinton.

Kasper Schmidt of Sterling transacted business here today.

M. J. Sullivan of Milwaukee is visiting the Beck Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reardon of Freeport were visitors here yesterday.

E. H. Webster returned last evening from a short business visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Wood of the Nachusa house joined her husband in Rockford today.

Miss Schrader of the Manhattan cafe, visited friends in Sterling last evening.

G. Eldred Marsh will speak in Miller's hall Sunday, both morning and evening.

Miss Florence Tumeys has returned from a three months' visit in Fort Dodge, Ia.

Miss Lida Johnson of Chicago was a guest at the Ralph Johnson home Wednesday.

Mrs. A. R. Hackett and son of St. Louis are here visiting at the home of her brother, A. L. Carr.

Mrs. W. W. Lehman and sister, Mrs. Timmerman of Sioux Falls, S. D., have gone to Mt. Morris to visit with relatives over Sunday.

J. J. Garty, agent for the Northwestern at Rockford, who was formerly located at the local freight office, came to Dixon yesterday to attend the funeral of Hugh Flannery, and to accompany the remains to that city.

Another car load of beer from the Schlitz brewery, Milwaukee, arrived in Dixon this morning consigned to the Dixon brewery. The local concern is using this brand to supply its customers during the rebuilding of their plant.

Isador Eichler went to DeKalb yesterday afternoon to accompany his wife and baby home from that city, where they have been visiting for the past week at the home of her brother, Herman Iskovich, and wife.

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Sunday school, 9:45.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.
Memorial day will be observed in the church Sunday and Rev. Clark will preach accordingly. The church will be beautifully decorated with flowers.

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Sunday service 11 a. m. Subject, Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism Denounced.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Wednesday testimony meeting at 8 p. m.
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Everybody welcome to services and reading rooms.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.
Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.
Sunday in the Octave of the Ascension.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30.
Sunday school, 10:00.
Morning prayer, 11:00.
Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching by the pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The evening service will be appropriate to Memorial for old soldiers.
K. L. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:45.
Everybody cordially invited to all services.
Geo. A. Smith, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Public worship at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At the morning service the pastor will preach the second sermon on "What Is Christianity?" the subject being "Christianity, a Life."
The evening service will be attended by the graduating class of the South Side high school. The pastor will preach the baccalaureate sermon.
Fred D. Stone, Pastor.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.
Theo. Drexel, Pastor.
Main service at 10:30. This being the Sunday after Ascension day, the sermon will answer the question: "How Can We Follow the Ascended Christ?" Text, John 14, 1-6.
Choir practice this evening.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
Morning theme, "The Dignity of a Child of God."
Evening text, "Blessed Are the Pure in Heart for They Shall See God."
Main service at 11 a. m. preceded by Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Evening worship at 7:45 and C. W. meeting at 7.

A cordial invitation to all services. A special invitation to all persons not having a regular place of worship.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
In the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. A. Mainwaring, the pulpit will be filled by Rev. J. H. Palmer of Chicago University.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.
Evening service, 7:30 p. m.
Everybody cordially welcome.

CHURCH OF GOD.
Services in Miller's hall Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. conducted by G. Eldred Marsh of Oregon.
Morning topic, "Prophecy of the Golden Age."
Evening topic, "Earth's Coming Glory."
A cordial invitation to all.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
S. Elwood Fisher, Minister.
On account of the storm the minister did not preach last Sunday evening. He will deliver the sermon on Sunday evening prepared for last Sunday, "The Divorce Evil." A cartoon sermon.
These notes are written at Quincy where the minister is attending the S. S. convention. He will report the convention at the service next Sunday morning. Let all church and Sunday school hear the report.
All other services as usual.
There was one confession and baptism last Sunday.

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH.
Rev. George E. Hughes, Minister.
Morning service at 10:45; topic, "The Great Commandment."
Sunday school at 9:45; study of "Old Testament Narratives."
Evening service at 7:30 and baccalaureate sermon of the North Dixon High School. Topic, "The Ideal Life."
Chorus choir under the direction of Mrs. Lee Read.
The public is cordially invited.

THE BEND.
The Bend, May 25—Miss Margaret Brink is the graduate from the Bend school at the exercises to be held at Sugar Grove June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warner entertained Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. David Warner on Sunday.

Henry Duffy of Nelson was a welcome visitor at Seldom Inn recently.

Miss Idah Cortright recently spent several days with her friend, Mrs. T. F. Rosbrook.

Mesdames David and Harry Warner visited the orphanage at Nachusa Thursday.

John Rosbrook has been ill at the hospital in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Eberly and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Byers of Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brier-ton and sons spent Sunday at Frank Byers.

Maude Boyer is spending the week with her cousin, Mary Rosbrook.

Lewis Beatty spent Wednesday at Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heaton spent Tuesday with their daughter, Mrs. W. Cooper, who is ill.

Sam Bennett and A. J. Heaton have sheared John Hetter's sheep.

Dr. and Mrs. Pankhurst visited

friends Wednesday.

Mrs. Lewis Beatty visited with her mother at Grand Detour last Tuesday.

Harry Heckman and son Charles visited his mother Wednesday.

NELSON.
Nelson, May 25—Andy Peterson was in Chicago Tuesday.

Glenn Palmer, who has been working in Belvidere, came home Saturday for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Stodmeister visited the Phillips families for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wink of Sterling were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Gay Friday.

Miss Grace Hahn of West Chicago was the guest of Hazel Greene.

Howard Sweitzer and Miss Stella Walker visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Gus Onken, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Janssen and son, Chas. Janssen and family and Mrs. Clark and baby of Atlantic, Ia., and John and Walter Janssen came Sunday to see Mrs. John Janssen, who has been ill. Mrs. Emil Janssen and family were also present and she prepared dinner for the guests.

Charles Bohlken and family spent a few days with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Bohlken.

Mrs. John Schryver and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cooper a few days.

Maurice Orgtisen and Miss Valentine motored to Nelson Sunday and called at the John Orgtisen home.

Ray Wendle and Miss Sullivan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruben-dall Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Rockwell is visiting a daughter at Thomson for a week. Mr. Rockwell has secured the tower job at the Q. crossing on the Peoria line and will move there.

Mrs. G. G. Stewart spent Sunday and Monday in Dixon.

H. C. Reed and wife entertained a number of their children Sunday. Those present were Alex. Reed and family, H. L. Reed and family, Jerry Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kar-per and three children and John Reed, who is home on leave of absence from the U. S. steamship, Delaware.

SUBLETTE.
Sublette, May 25—Mrs. Hendricks was in Chicago Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lett, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reeder Miss Bessie White Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bieber and Dr. and Mrs. Sam Lefelman were in Mendota Friday.

Mrs. Mary Auchstetter will sell ice cream in Hendricks' store Saturday evening, May 27. She will sell ice cream every Saturday evening during the summer.

The dance was well attended Monday evening and all had a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Chas. Lett went to Dixon on Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lett went to Charles City, Ia., Tuesday. They will return with Mr. and Mrs. White in their auto.

P. H. Holda's step father and sister are here visiting him, from Kansas.

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AMBOY SCHOOL TO PRESENT A PLAY

SENIOR CLASS TO GIVE "UNDER SOUTHERN SKIES" TUES. DAY EVENING.

COMMENCEMENT WEDNESDAY EVE

Dr. Fisher of Lombard College to Speak—Memorial Exercises in Opera House.

Amboy, May 26—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dales have returned from Sycamore after a short visit with relatives.

Mr. Wasson went to Aurora on Thursday.

The baccalaureate services will be held at the opera house Sunday evening, May 28, at 8:30. L. F. Edwards of Dixon will deliver the address.

Monday evening the juniors will banquet the seniors in the parlors of the Congregational church.

Tuesday evening, May 30, the senior class will present their play, entitled "Under Southern Skies." It is given under the management of Otto Krause.

The cast of characters is as follows:

May Crofton Charles Tennant
Col. Crofton Charles Spangler
Burleigh Mayoe Ray Leake
Ambrose Mayoe Will Jamison
Col. Daubeney Marvin Ohshan
Steve Daubeney David McCaffery
Mr. Tom Jas. Morrissey
Uncle Joshua Edward James
Rastus Henry McCoy
Lelia Crofton Edna Bates
Stella Crofton Anita Badger
Miss Dora Burleigh
..... Helmina Hecker
Fifi Hampton Alice Poole
Miss Peggy Lauretta Kiefer
Miss Annie Ethel McGowan
Miss Ailsy Margaret Burns
Phiny Irene Rensburg
Aunt Doshay Mae Dewey
Anner Lizee Olive Underwood
Leoke's orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets 25 and 35c. Reserved seats for sale at Aschenbrenner's drug store.

Wednesday evening, May 31, commencement exercises will be held at the opera house. Dr. L. B. Fisher, president of Lombard college, will deliver the address.

The program is:

Instrumental Music
..... Miss Josephine Egan
Invocation Rev. Wallace
Vocal Solo Mrs. N. J. Smith
Instrumental Duet
..... Misses Stella and Ruth Klein
Address Dr. Fisher
Instrumental Wm. Entorf
Presentation of Diplomas
..... President of the Board
Benediction Rev. Lee

The class roll is:

Edna Olive Bates, Maude Arline Morris, Lila Elizabeth Miller, Hermine Maria Hecker, Mary Ethel McGowan, Margaret Frances Burns, Irene Sheridan Rensburg, Lauretta Cecil Kiefer, Mae Florence Dewey, Anita Lois Badger, Alice Ethelyn Poole, Edward Allen James, Patrick David McCaffrey, William Whiting Gridley, Ray Dean Leake, John Henry McCoy, William Harrison Jamison.

son.

Miss Mae Searls returned from Sublette Tuesday, having closed a very successful year's work in the Angier district. A school program and picnic was enjoyed by all on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Badger went to Chicago Thursday.

L. B. Searls went to Chicago Wednesday.

Mrs. John M. Egan and daughter, Miss Josephine, are spending a few days in Chicago.

Rev. J. S. Gallagher went to Chicago Wednesday.

Win Wasson spent Thursday in Compton.

Master Arlyn Ulrich visited relatives in Shaw's this week.

Mrs. Bert Lyons went to Chicago Tuesday.

Mrs. Willey of Wheatland, Iowa, spent a few days this week with relatives here.

George Fleur was in Compton the fore part of the week.

Edward March was called to Kansas Wednesday on account of the illness of his mother.

Lila Schultheiss, the little daughter of P. Schultheiss, was badly injured Friday by a motor cycle falling upon her.

A large crowd attended the dance in the opera house Wednesday evening. It was given by the opera house manager, R. Heath held the lucky number which drew the prize.

Mrs. Charles Kiefer is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. M. J. O'Brien, and children of DeKalb.

Owen Wood died at the hospital Tuesday afternoon. The funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's church Friday morning.

Mrs. Keho is visiting in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McIntyre have been visiting in Dixon and Freeport the past week.

Memorial day exercises will be held in the opera house Tuesday, May 30, at 2:30 p. m.

The program:

Music Amboy Band
Prayer Rev. J. E. Lee
Reading—Lincoln's Gettysburg Address Ella Maine
Music—Lee County Song
..... High School Chorus
Oration Charles O'Brien
Benediction Rev. Robert Wallace

At 9 a. m. the graves at Prairie Repose, St. Patrick's and Binghamton cemeteries will be decorated. At 10:30 a. m. the decoration of soldiers' graves at Sublette and Lee Center will take place.

At 11 a. m. exercises will take place at Green River park for the soldiers and sailors who were lost at sea.

Leon Lauer of Sublette was here Wednesday.

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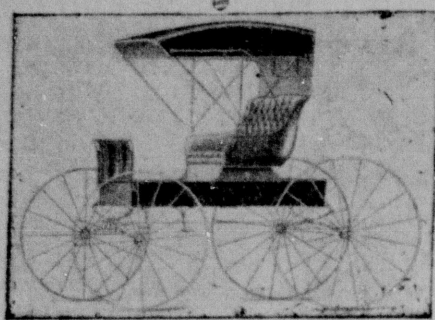
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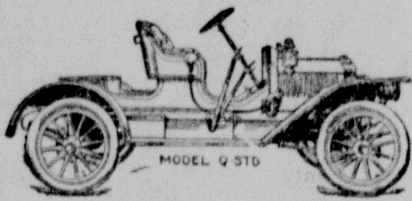
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WAR ON PRESS AGENTS

Illinois Daily Newspaper Association Will Refuse Their Stories.

Chicago, May 26.—War was declared by the Illinois Daily Newspaper association upon newspaper "notices of a misleading character," such as press agent stories and stories carrying an advertising tinge. A resolution to that effect was passed at their meeting at the Hotel La Salle.

President John H. Harrison of Danville, Thomas Rees and Henry F. Durwin of Springfield called upon Governor Denney to urge him to veto the Church bill, which prohibits the publication of details of crimes.

POLICE OFFICERS HURT

Chicago Inspector and Captain Are Victims of a Runaway.

Chicago, May 26.—Inspector Patrick J. Lavin of the Maxwell street division and Captain John J. Mahoney of the Human street station are confined to their homes badly bruised as the result of an accident when the horse attached to the buggy in which they were riding became frightened at the rear of an elevated train at West Twelfth and Paulina streets and ran into an express wagon.

Both officials were severely injured and the horse instantly killed.

FOUND DEAD IN FLAT

Head of a Chicago Auto Supply House Dies in Mysterious Manner.

Chicago, May 26.—Royal E. Hardy, president of the R. E. Hardy Auto-

mobile Supply company, and residing at the Plaza hotel, was found dead in bed at 10:40 o'clock at night in the flat of Mrs. E. Gore, 854 George street. The police of the Sheffield avenue station are investigating the affair.

Mrs. Gore stated that Mr. Hardy was a stranger and that she permitted him to go to bed when he complained of feeling ill after drinking two bottles of beer.

FARMER KILLED IN FIGHT

Hardin, Ill., Men Arrange Combat After Quarrel—Slayer Held.

Hardin, Ill., May 26.—William Scott, a farmer, thirty-five years old, was stabbed to death in a fight with E. N. Fobal, twenty-three years old, in the rear of the Perry Hotel. Fobal was arrested. The men quarreled Tuesday night and agreed to fight later. The murder is the first in Calhoun county in ten years. Taxpayers recently protested against repairs in the county jail, a structure erected about eleven years ago, which was rotting in disuse.

Ladd Miners' Strike Settled. Spring Valley, Ill., May 26.—The coal miners' strike at Ladd was settled by J. H. Walker, president of the Illinois union. The strike was called because officials of the Illinois Third Vein Coal company of Ladd refused to discharge Charles Brown, pit boss. Brown recently resigned.

Murder Verdict in Elgin Mystery. Elgin, Ill., May 26.—A coroner's jury returned a verdict of murder in the case of the unidentified woman found killed near here a week ago. The jury urged that the investigation be continued.

SEES PERIL IN OIL DECISION

Justice Harlan of Supreme Court Files Dissent.

PREDICTS MUCH LITIGATION

Declares Recognition of a Legal Restraint of Trade Will Throw the Business of the Country into Confusion.

Washington, May 26.—Associate Justice John Marshall Harlan filed in the supreme court his formal dissenting opinion in the Standard Oil case. Not satisfied with his oral dissent from the decision, as handed down by Chief Justice White, Justice Harlan rewrote the stenographic report of his remarks from the bench. The oral dissent formed merely a framework for the final document, containing about 8,000 words.

Justice Harlan brands as mischievous the modification made by the court in the decree of the lower court permitting subsidiary corporations of the Standard Oil company, after dissolution of the combination, to make normal and lawful agreement among themselves.

Chief Justice White had characterized this modification as a "minor matter."

The further declaration is made by Justice Harlan that he is convinced the court's opinion "will throw the business of the country into confusion and invite widely extended and harassing litigation, the injurious effect of which will be felt for many years to come."

In connection with what he terms a "mischievous modification," Justice Harlan quotes the chief justice in reference to "undue" restraint.

"Taking this language in connection with other parts of the opinion," says Justice Harlan, "the subsidiary companies are thus in effect informed—unwisely, I think—that, although the New Jersey corporation, being an illegal combination, must go out of existence, they may join in an agreement to restrain commerce among the states, if such restraint be not 'undue.'"

As in his oral remarks Justice Harlan devotes himself largely to criticism of the court for holding that not every restraint of trade violates the law.

"After what has been adjudged," Justice Harlan says, "upon full consideration, as to the meaning and scope of the anti-trust act and in view of the usages of this court when attorneys for litigants have attempted to reopen questions that have been deliberately decided, I confess to no little surprise as to what has occurred in the present case."

Carl Seaberg, formerly of Dixon, now leader of the Majestic orchestra in Rockford, is here today.

A. E. Mitmore of South Bend, Ind., was in this city yesterday on business.

Phil N. Marks writes from Mount Clemens, Mich., that he is getting on nicely and can walk without the use of a cane. He will have to stay there ten days more. He thinks the mineral baths a wonderful cure.

STEEL PRODUCTS LOWER

Cut in Price of Steel Bars Followed by Other Reductions.

New York, May 26.—The cut in the price of steel bars, which the Republic Iron and Steel company inaugurated, was followed by a lowering of the price of finished products, notably lighter structural steel shapes.

Other companies showed a disposition to follow suit, it was said, not only in the particular of steel bars, but in other steel products.

Declare Portugal Frontier Secure. Lisbon, Portugal, May 26.—An official note issued by the Portuguese government declares that the northern frontier is absolutely secure, the garrison of the border provinces having been strengthened by troops entirely faithful to the republic.

Seven Killed by Falling Ore. Ottawa, May 26.—Masses of ore falling in the Helen mine, one of the Michipicoten iron mines owned by the Lake Superior corporation, killed seven men.

DRAINAGE NOTICE

Inlet Swamp Drainage District—Petition for Eighth Assessment. To All Persons Interested:

Public notice is hereby given that certain owners of land within Inlet Swamp Drainage District in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, representing themselves to be a majority of the land owners within said district who are of lawful age and representing more than one-third in area of the lands in said district, have filed in the office of the clerk of the county court of said county their petition setting forth among other things that it is necessary to the protection of the lands and complete drainage of the same within said district, that another or eighth assessment be made on the lands of said district for the purpose of cleaning out, deepening and widening certain ditches of said district therein named, and for the constructing of certain other ditches as specified and prayed for in said petition, and petitioning the court to cause such assessment to be made in the manner provided by law for the purpose of doing said work and meeting the expenses thereof, and incidental expenses relating thereto.

Public notice is also hereby given that said petitioners have also filed in the office of said clerk their petition praying that on the granting of the foregoing petition a certain order of said court for an eighth assessment on said lands, made and entered November 30th, 1909, be cancelled and revoked to all intents and purposes as if the same had not been entered, and that the petition therefore be dismissed and the district relieved therefrom.

Notice is further given that said petitions have been set down for hearing by said county court at the court house in the City of Dixon in said county, at one o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, the 19th day of June, 1911.

Dated at Dixon, Ill., this 26th day of May, A. D. 1911.

WILLIAM C. THOMPSON, Clerk of the County Court of the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

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45-in Pillow Case Tubing, regular 22c value, Special 16c yard
72-in Bleached Table Damask, \$1.25 value, Special 98c yard
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1 Lot of Children's Hats \$1.00 value, Special 50c
1 Lot of Val. and Torchon Lace and Insertion, worth up to 8c yd., Special 3c yard
10 doz Ladies' Gauze Vests, 15c quality, Special 10c
10 Pieces of fine Quality Dress Gingham 25c value, Special 19c yard
36-in White Cambric Muslin, 12 c quality, Special 19c
1 Lot of Ladies' Black Hose, 25c value, Special 19c
10 doz Ladies' Muslin Gowns, embroidery yoke, Special 49c
50 pair Nottingham Lace Curtains, regular \$1.00 quality, Special 79c
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Dangerously Wounded in Affray at Denver, Colo.

Argument Starts in a Theater and Is Continued in a Barroom of a Fashionable Hotel.

Denver, Colo., May 26.—An argument that started at a box party in the Broadway theater and was continued in the barroom of one of Denver's fashionable hotels, developed into a shooting affray in which St. Louis von Phul, a well known aeronaut of St. Louis; J. W. Atkinson of Colorado Springs and G. E. Copeland of Cripple Creek were wounded by Frank Henwood, local representative of a New York business concern. Henwood was immediately arrested.

Atkinson and Copeland, it appears, were not concerned in the quarrel, although they had been with the party all evening. Just how the trouble began is not known.

Von Phul, from a cursory examination made by the police surgeon, was shot four times and is in a serious condition. Copeland and Atkinson each received one bullet.

Mrs. E. S. Murphy and children are spending a few days at M. J. Cleary's.

Miss Lucy Cogswell will leave in a few days for a trip to Colorado.

Frank Swales of Chicago visited in Dixon last evening.

Mrs. Gross of Bradford was here yesterday.

CLOSING OUT GO-CARTS

We have a choice line of GO-CARTS which we have today placed on the market at prices which will close them out. Just what you want, and now is your time you want it. Snap these up while you have the chance. They are first-class and we bought them to sell, not to keep in stock.

G. J. REED, Furniture.
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Bedding Plants of all kinds, Porch and Window Boxes, Cemetery Vases filled with the choicest Plants at reasonable prices. Fresh Cut Flowers. Floral Decorations a Specialty.

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Save Your Coupons FOR Premiums

Hundreds are Doing It,.....

Save Money Order Here Saturday.

Mother's Corn Flakes 7c package, 4 for 25c
3 lbs 15c Dry Yellow Michigan Peaches for 25c
3 lbs California Seedless Raisins 25c
8 lbs Best Bulk Laundry Starch for 25c
10c Bottles Extract Root Beer 7c, 4 for 25c
25c 1-lb. I. B. C. Baking Powder, SATURDAY 15c can
15c Fig Newtons, SATURDAY, at 11c lb
4 lbs Fresh Red Kidney Beans, SATURDAY 25c
5 gallons Perfected Oil—bring your can 39c
50c Mason Jar Home-Made Peach Butter 39c
50c 9-bar Box Fine Toilet Soap 29c box
15c Bottle Pure Tomato Catsup, only 10c
15c Bottle Dunkley's Celery Salad 10c each

NEW GOODS Arriving Daily in All Depts.....

SATURDAY

It's the Good Bacon , , , , 17c lb
And Good Corned Beef, only , , 7c lb

Bacon comes in 1-lb. to 2-lb Pieces and is sold by the Piece only.
Corned Beef is from Best Steers.

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Children's Barefoot Sandals, size 2 to 6, at 50c
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250 pairs Ladies' Oxfords at a very low price \$1.39, \$1.69 and \$1.98
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25 Men's Straw Hats, all at 13c
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Just Received

15 New Auto Coats—See Them.

Sample Lot New House Dresses in Percale, Gingham and White Lingerie, Prices \$1.98 and up

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We have about 20 in White, Tan and colors—just the thing to use for Outing, etc.—your choice SATURDAY \$2.00

LADIES' HOT WEATHER KIMONAS

The Real Japanese style 25c, Others at 50c, 75c and \$1.00

BIG LOT NEW LAWN, BATISTS AND VOILES AT EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES

15c Batiste, all new designs 10c
25c Beautiful Organdies, only 19c
25c New Voiles we offer 19c
OUR LINE OF WASH GOODS BIGGEST IN TOWN.

Big Sample Lot of Men's Hot Weather Shirts in Pleated Bosom, Soft Bosom with and without Collars. ; ; ;

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BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

SIXTY DIE ON STEAMER

Taboga Strikes Rock Off Punta Mala and Sinks.

Forty Passengers Are Rescued from Coastwise Steamer After Accident.

Panama, May 26.—The National steamship line steamer Taboga struck a rock off Punta Mala on Tuesday and sank a short time afterward. Of the hundred passengers on board only forty are known to have been saved.

The Taboga had a cargo of cattle and was on her regular coastwise trip. The scene of the accident is about 160 miles from the nearest telegraph station, which makes it difficult to obtain details.

The United States gunboat Yorktown has left here for the scene of the disaster.

New Zealand Proposition Withdrawn.

London, May 26.—The imperial conference resumed the discussion of the proposal adopted by the representatives of New Zealand that an imperial council of government be established. It was opposed by the other delegates, who were dubious as to its worth. The proposal was then withdrawn.

RESULTS FOR THE FANS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pet.	W. L. Pet.
Phil. .23 13 .539 St. L. 15 16 .484	
Chi. .21 13 .618 Cin. 14 16 .467	
N. Y. .21 13 .618 Brook 13 22 .371	
Pitts. .20 13 .606 Bos. 8 28 .222	

At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
St. Louis .000000002-2 5 2
Philadelphia .102010000-4 7 1
Steele and Bresnahan; Alexander and Dooin.

At Brooklyn— R. H. E.
Pittsburg .120001200-7 12 1
Brooklyn .000001001-2 9 2
Liefeld and Gibson; Rucker, Rasen and Miller.

At New York— R. H. E.
Cincinnati .210000120-6 8 1
New York .000000010-1 6 1
Keefe and Clark; Drucker, Crandall and Myers.

At Boston—
Boston vs. Chicago—Rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pet.	W. L. Pet.
Det. .29 9 .763 N. Y. 17 16 .515	
Phil. .19 15 .559 Cleve 16 22 .421	
Chi. .17 15 .531 Wash 12 22 .353	
Bos. .18 16 .529 St. L. 12 25 .324	

At Chicago— R. H. E.
New York .000001100-2 10 1
Chicago .000000020-1 3 9 1
Brockett, Warhop and Blair; White, Sullivan and Payne.

At Cleveland— R. H. E.
Philadelphia .010250004-12 14 2
Cleveland .012010101-6 14 3
Morgan, Russell, Livingston and Thomas; Kaler and Land.

At Detroit— R. H. E.
Washington .000103011-6 11 7
Detroit .000000011-2 8 2
Johnson and Henry; Willett and Stanage.

At St. Louis— R. H. E.
Boston .104002002-9 8 2
St. Louis .103010000-5 10 2
McFalls, Pape, Wood and Carrigan; Powell, Mitchell and Clark.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

W. L. Pet.	W. L. Pet.
Minn. .23 13 .539 St. P. 18 20 .474	
Col. .22 14 .611 Louis 18 21 .462	
K. C. .21 15 .583 Tldo 17 23 .425	
Mil. .21 19 .525 Ind. 15 24 .385	

At Louisville—Louisville, 2; Milwaukee, 7.
At Columbus—Columbus, 3; Kansas City, 4.

At Toledo—Toledo, 11; St. Paul, 12.
At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 3; Minneapolis, 2.

DEMENT TOWN DOINGS

We're all with you, Tommy, for that job.

J. J. Carty of Rockford shook hands with old friends yesterday. J. J. is about 50 pounds heavier than when he left here.

James Allen reports that yesterday he saw the first snake he has seen this year. He refuses to state whether it was rye or bourbon.

Zoeller wants to know if a hen got out on State street would Siegel Cooper? For which we recommend that he be made marshal of the day for the Insane Fourth.

And then if Eli is short is Rosen-thal?

Again a lady on the avenue wants to know if the moon had a baby would the skyrocket.

Which endeth the third lesson. W. C. Jones is really getting beyond redemption. He started out to paint the town red, by daubing a lot of crimson colored stuff all over the front of his store building.

Frerich says it must be awful for those "polish" bears to have to stick around in a zoo this hot weather.

The improvements W. C. J. is making on his store reminds us that the city hall, directly across the street, needs painting. McIntyre says he will take it up with the mayor at the first opportunity.

The mushroom season closed yesterday, which relieves Allen of the necessity of calling Fleming at 3:45 a. m. in the future; that is, unless Plem. develops an appetite for May apples.

Mayor Valle did not report to the office until nearly 10 a. m. Reason—there's always a reason—one big car load of coal arrived last night and it had to be unloaded today. The mayor is sure some diplomat.

Neither Have We.

Have you heard of any more gambling raids?

Have you finished house cleaning? Have you made arrangements for your vacation?

Stingy.

It was yesterday afternoon, one of the hottest we ever expect to experience in this life; we were all hungry. In fact we felt like the place

we have indirectly referred to, when we stepped into the Western Union office for the elusive item. And while there Justice Cole brought in an apple that came "all the way from Oregon" (of course the express company brought it; it couldn't come alone) and gave it to the girls. And then and there in emulation of that creature of mythology Tantalus, the young ladies ate that apple, before our very eyes, and never gave us a look at it. In fact, they ate the core to keep us from satisfying our famine. Which to our mind is really and cruelly stingy. So there.

How He Got It.

Medical Note. The Rockford Republic says "A marriage license was issued yesterday to Ernest E. Hall of Sioux Falls, S. D., and Esther Amelia Gripp of Rockford."

Timber?

DeKalb Chronicle—Wm. Plank has gone to Hordsville, Neb., to look after some land interests.

Peary, Attention!

Dr. Cook has gone to Normal for a visit of a few days at his old home. —DeKalb Advertiser.

Our Apology.

The reception we met with this a. m. leads us to believe we have grossly and irreparably slandered our good friend Shorty Cowan. In reference to the repairs being made on the I. C. water tank, we stated that Mr. C. wanted to know what effect such repairs would have on the brew. Shorty states that such a remark would insinuate that occasionally he drank water, which impression he states would create a furor and a panic the like of which has never been known. Wherefore we most humbly and contritely offer our most sincere apologies.

In Training.

In addition to his duties as president-secretary-treasurer-caterer of the Dementtown Social club and as champion cheese cutter of the universe, P. O. Sullivan is finding time to commence training for the dashes to be held in connection with our Fourth of July celebration for the Insane. P. O. states that if anyone in the world can beat him from Depot avenue to the brewery, he wants to know it. And by the way, the fact that P. O. is doing all his training up and down the ave. may have something to do with the fact that Frerichs has locked up his chickens.

Recuperating.

Siebolt is slowly recovering from the injuries he inflicted upon himself when he stepped on his own feet in his efforts to stop that dog fight the other day. The doctor says he may be able to get down town in a short time. We are glad the doctor didn't say "us" instead of "down town."

INCREASE FREIGHT RATES

Commission Allows Raise in North and South Dakota.

Washington, May 26.—For the first time since the Hepburn railroad rate act went into effect in June, 1906, the interstate commerce commission has allowed a general increase in freight rates on an important commodity.

The commission handed down a decision sustaining the right of carriers in North and South Dakota to increase freight rates on grain and grain products from producing points in those states to Minneapolis, Duluth, Milwaukee and Chicago and points taking the same rates. The commission, however, declines to sustain proposed advances in rates of coarse grain from points in those states to Omaha, Neb.

Constable Indicted for Killing.

Jeffersonville, Ind., May 26.—Jacob Merdith, constable, was indicted by a special grand jury on the charge of second degree murder for killing Leopold Rosenfeld at an alleged lottery shack west of this city, May 11. John L. Richey of New Albany, arrested at the same time and place, was indicted for running a lottery.

LATEST OVER THE WIRE

The New York supreme court has ruled that a mother cannot dispose of her child by will.

Six persons were saved from death by fire in a four story uptown tenement in New York by a long slide down a clothesline.

Divers who examined the Cunard liner Ivernia, which struck the rocks near Queenstown, Ireland, found ten feet of the vessel's plating opened by the collision.

Kentucky's last execution by hanging took place at Frankfort. Roger Warren, a negro, who killed another negro prisoner in the Frankfort penitentiary, was hanged. The electric chair will be used henceforth.

Three hundred men prominent in the business community of New York city met at the call of the Postal Progress league to discuss the betterment of postal conditions and urge the passage by congress of a parcels post bill.

Victor-Victrola X
\$75

Victor-Victrola XI
\$100

Victor-Victrola

Didn't know you could get a Victor-Victrola for so little money? Well, you can. And they possess the same clear, sweet, velvety tone-quality as the higher-priced models. You can get one of these new Victor-Victrolas right away, for we'll arrange terms to suit. You can enjoy it while you're paying for it.

Other styles of the Victor-Victrola \$150, \$200, \$250, Victors \$10 to \$100.

THEO. J. MILLER

AURORA PLANS WOLF HUNT

Farmers Aroused by Depredations to Herds of Sheep.

Aurora, Ill., May 26.—Farmers west of here are planning a big wolf drive as the result of frequent raids on sheep folds by large gray timber wolves, believed to have come from Wisconsin. At Earlville, thirty-five miles west of Aurora and seventy-two miles from Chicago, Ernest D. Berenson, a brother of Chief Deputy United States Marshal Otis E. Berenson, shot and killed a big timber wolf Sunday after pursuing it three miles. This is the first wolf killed in Illinois in a year. The last drive was held in the same section about two years ago. Three wolves were killed.

SPECIAL OFFER.

The Daily Inter Ocean, regular price \$4.00 a year, and the Daily Telegraph, \$3.00, both for a short time only \$5.00.

The Evening Telegraph and either the Chicago Tribune or Record Herald by mail for \$5.50.

You, who have not yet supplied your complete Clothes needs for this Summer should do so for Decoration Day

You certainly should not fail to see our Elegant showing of stylish and dependable goods before making your purchases if you want the BEST, you can place YOUR CONFIDENCE IN ANYTHING YOU MAY PURCHASE HERE.

The BEST Values for the Least Money

We stake our reputation on the quality of our goods. We know what to buy and we know what to sell. Everything that leaves this store bears with it our broad, "MONEY-BACK-IF-YOU-WANT-IT" guarantee of satisfaction and if it doesn't prove to be all that we claim for it, we refund your money or make an exchange for something that is right.

New Clothes for "Wilson" Underwear

YOU'LL find here THE Suit YOU want in the style YOU like at the price YOU want to pay. We show all the styles in all the different fabrics and in a wide range of qualities, we can surely please you.

Suits \$7.50 to \$30

The Underwear that always satisfies best

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Outing Shirts

in a variety of brands and new patterns and shades---you'll like them

50c to \$3 00

Belts

that are uncommon, distinctive---black, tan, grey or browns,

50c to 75c

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Full of Snap and Vim, for Young Fellows who want something unusual are here in all the correct shapes,

\$1.00 to \$6

Of course we are prepared to fit the head of the conservative dresser with a style that will fit his ideas of a becoming hat too.

Oxfords

that will please your eye, your feet and your pocketbook,

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A FACULTY OF EXPERIENCED MEN—Helpful and personally interested in each boy. There is a teacher for every eight or nine boys who receive personal attention both in the classroom and out. They are cared for day and night.

HIGH STANDARDS OF WORK—Graduates enter without examination any university or technical school that admits upon certificate. Morgan Park is Co-operative with University of Chicago. Special preparation for Harvard, Yale and Princeton, whose examination may be taken before leaving the Academy. For Business there are special courses.

EXCELLENT EQUIPMENT—Four modern buildings, including gymnasium; ample grounds and fine athletic field.

CENTRAL LOCATION—In healthful, country-like surroundings—fourteen miles from Chicago.

WHOLESOME SCHOOL LIFE—a community of clean, manly boys, with well-directed student activities.

CLEAN PLAY FOR ALL—good athletic teams, developed through third and fourth teams, so that every boy may take part.

SUCCESSFUL COMBINATION OF HOME-LIFE AND MILITARY TRAINING.

LOWER SCHOOL FOR SMALL BOYS.

Rates—\$600 in the Academy; \$500 and \$400 in the Lower School. You are cordially invited to visit the school. Address for illustrated literature of vital interest to every parent and boy.

MORGAN PARK ACADEMY

Box T, Morgan Park, Ill.

DERMA VIVA, THE IDEAL FACE POWDER

MAKES FACE, HANDS, ARMS AND NECK A MILK—and does not show or rub off. Pimples, Blackheads, Freckles, Moth or Liver Spots cured in a few days. Have handled this preparation and recommend it

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PRICE 50c

NOW IS THE TIME

To Order Your Winter's Supply of

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Call Us Up for Prices and Save Money.

D. B. Raymond & Son

WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

Advertise in the West Brooklyn News.

Don't forget to look up what our advertisers have to say. Keep in mind the Memorial Day celebration to be held in West Brooklyn on Tuesday, May 30.

Base ball on that day at 3 o'clock. Dixon College vs West Brooklyn; grand ball in the evening at opera house.

Leon Lauer and George Thier were in town from Sublette calling on friends Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Phillip Fassig, Sr., requests us to express her thanks and appreciation to all those who remembered her on May 16th with the beautiful postal cards commemorating her birthday anniversary.

John Chaon and family were over from Ashton Monday afternoon calling on friends and relatives and renewing old acquaintances. Joseph Deloisy was accompanying them for a days visit with the people in West Brooklyn. He is assisting Mr. Chaon with his farm work this year.

John Zinke of South Brooklyn was transacting business in our town Tuesday.

Assessor A. B. McCrea of Lee Center township was in town Tuesday where he was busy completing the listing of his tax schedules.

The electric storm of Sunday caused F. M. Yocum and his assistant a lot of extra work early Monday morning repairing telephones that had been put out of commission. The lightning landed into the cable box and as a result only one or two phones were in working order on Monday morning.

Chris July was in town transacting business in this village Tuesday.

Birthday Surprise

On Sunday May 21st, 1911, the grandchildren and other relatives of Mr. Valentine Bieser who lives with his daughter on South Second street gathered at his home to surprise him on the event of his birthday anniversary which had been during the middle of the week. A big dinner was very much enjoyed and the entire day was spent in conversation in keeping with big reunions of this kind. The venerable gentlemen is now 84 years of age and until the last winter was a familiar figure on our streets visiting with his friends but now his health is such that he is unable to leave his home but very little. With the coming of the warm weather we hope to find him able to be out again as formerly and also that he will live to enjoy many more birthdays.

Meyers Store

We can all watch for the brand new goods in Meyers store soon for on Tuesday F. W. Meyer went to Chicago for a couple of days stay, buying summer and fall stock for his trade. He will soon be telling you all about them in this paper, so keep close watch of his advertisement.

Base Ball Vs Rain

The encounter between the base ball game and the rain last Sunday was all in favor of the rain. The team got the start first for they were out on the base ball field about 1 o'clock practicing for the game which they were to play with the Ashton team at 2:30 and had worked up a good perspiration when all at once, crash!—the clouds broke loose, the thunder pealed, the lightning flashed and the rain was king of everything in these parts. The players ran for cover, and first harbored in the big amphitheatre, but the strong wind whipped the water across the entire interior, and caused the boys to lie to other parts. They made a plunge for Capt. Michel's barn, and watched the usually gentle rain rave outside like a roaring lion,

while they must content themselves, like the previous Sunday, with discussing the conflict as they would have played it had not the rain interfered. The eagle eyes of Bill Oester, the dandy left fielder this year, was the first to take notice of the onslaught of the storm and from his abode in the outer garden, took a sudden departure for the shelter. Before he could explain what was exciting him, the rain was in our midst, and then you should have seen the scattering. Then the exit to the barn, where Roy Guffin, who seems to have landed that third base job for the present, took care of F. D.'s duck eggs, while his side kick, Bill Biggart, looked, jealously on, Leslie Derr from the right field territory and Catcher Malach, whose guardian was his little brother, were patient until Jerry made a motion to have some orangeade, when they could resist no longer, but Bill beat them all to the refreshment counter. The big rain had stopped, but there was no chance for a ball game even if three of the Ashton players did arrive.

Struck by Lightning

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Derr on South Third street was struck by lightning during the storm on Sunday afternoon, but did not damage the property to any considerable extent. The bolt seems to have hit the trees and then jumped to the house where it was noticeable in a room that had just been papered the day before. It tore the paper from the wall in places and scorched it considerably and then disappeared, for no other traces of it were discovered. None of the family were at home at the time, and thus no one was hurt. This seems to be the same bolt that worked havoc with the Yocum telephone lines, and put the phones all out of commission. Luckily the lightning was out of the igniting nature, or several destructive fires might have been started where ever it made its visits that afternoon. The rain came down in torrents, and in fifteen minutes the creek had overflown its banks, and the water was running at a terrific force. Some of the crop will have to be replanted where the seed was washed out of the ground. Sticks and corn stalks and loose obstacles were carried away, for both the water and wind were plentiful.

Jacob Barnickel of the vicinity of Mendota, was in West Brooklyn on Tuesday morning, visiting with his many friends.

Mrs. O. N. Daw was an evening passenger for Amboy to spend the day on Tuesday with friends and acquaintances.

Joseph B. Mettler was in town from the Flatts on business Tuesday.

Mrs. John Haub and children went to Aurora Monday morning to visit for a week with her sister and family.

B. B. Lewis of Amboy returned to his home in Amboy on the Saturday evening passenger after visiting during the day in West Brooklyn.

Henry Berscheid drove up from Viola Tuesday and took home with him the old cornerstone of the burned St. Mary's church, which has remained at the corner of the street since the fire of June 5th, 1908, at which time the church was destroyed.

Miss Ethel Derr visited with the Laing family in Dixon for a few days the first part of the week. William Laing, who has been staying in West Brooklyn, assisting Smith and Hermann with their painting jobs, also returned to Dixon for the week.

They went on the evening train, Saturday.

Owen McMahon, our hustling implement dealer, had a telephone installed in his office Tuesday.

Phil Krenz, of the International Harvester Company, was in West Brooklyn Tuesday, calling on his local agent, Owen McMahon.

School Social.

On Friday afternoon of last week, the pupils of the Zinke school, in South Brooklyn, held a farewell social and picnic in the school grounds it being the last day of school for the present term. Their teacher, Miss Frances Craigmiles, treated her pupils, to cakes and ice cream and other refreshments and games and amusements of various sorts were indulged in to enjoy away the time. The day was a happy one and closed a most successful year of school, during which time the children made rapid progress in their books.

Miss Mae Pye of Pawpaw visited with relatives and friends in town Sunday.

Emerson and Nell Long from Amboy were in town visiting at the M. E. Long home over Sunday.

The Andrew Lauer family of Sublette, were the guests of their many West Brooklyn friends and relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Koehler and infant baby of Sublette visited at F. L. Oesters' in our city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henkel were visiting with friends in West Brooklyn Monday.

Mrs. John Oester, Sr., and Chris Oester, returned home on the evening passenger Saturday from a couple of days visit with relatives at Berwyn, Naperville, and Aurora.

A. H. Lauer and family motored over from Sublette Sunday, but had to seek shelter from the rain before they could return home.

Chris July has his mother and sister from Ohio, visiting at his home for a couple of weeks.

Note the changes in the following ads this issue: Owen McMahon, H. A. Bernardin, and Bernardin & Barlow.

Put yourself in the place of a man inside the fire lines watching his property burn. What does it mean to him? What would it mean to you if you were in his place? Would you be face to face with disaster, or would you watch the smoldering remnants of your property with your mind occupied with plans for business rehabilitation, because somewhere you have stored away the indestructible financial soul of your business—your fire insurance policy. Stop and ponder for an instant and you will never wait another day, but will call at H. F. & F. D. Gehant's agency office and have them insure your property at once. Then if your property should burn or some disaster overtakes it, you can plan with absolute certainty and be assured that you will recover every bit of insurance you are carrying with them, because they represent only the best and biggest insurance companies of the world, and only the good reliable ones whose records of many years is supporting them like a stone wall. The same destructive elements endanger your live stock and besides these, hundreds of diseases are continually attacking them, or by accident they meet their end. To insure your live stock is just as essential as to insure your other property, and if judging according to the scores of diseases that may overtake them, and more so Live stock insurance in our office where the "National" is represented insures your live stock against anything and everything whatever. Don't be without it but call at the bank where Oliver L. Gehant will write up your policy and then you will be secure from loss. Attend to it today.

Wedding Anniversary

On Friday the relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hildmann of West Brooklyn gathered at their home on South First street to commemorate with the family their seventeenth wedding anniversary. The real anniversary was not until the following day, but as it was inconvenient for all the guests to be away from their homes that day the jubilation was held on Sunday instead. Many relatives were present from out of town. It was a big reunion of brothers and sisters and their children and the day was a happy one for all. A bounteous dinner was served. During the evening the gathering dispersed and each returned to his home with remembrance of the days of merriment.

Fred Koehler and family were in town from Sublette on last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary S. Johnson returned on Tuesday from Pawpaw where she visited with friends.

Miss Anna Becker went to Pawpaw Tuesday.

John Flatt of Amboy was here a part of the week assisting Blacksmith Knauer.

Julius Delhotel, assessor of Viola township, was here on business Wednesday.

D. O. Fairchild is spending Wednesday and Thursday in Dixon at the reunion of the 13th Ill. regiment of the Union army during the civil war. David was a member of this regiment during four years of the war and distinguished himself in a great many battles.

Fred Burkardt was in town from Lee Center transacting business Wednesday.

Underwent Operation.

Mrs. Peter J. Sondgeroth was taken to the Chandler hospital on Monday, where she underwent an operation on that day. She is doing nicely at present and is progressing rapidly toward recovery. This is pleasing information to her many friends here.

George Christiance, who has been in South Dakota for some time, returned Wednesday for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christiance.

Mrs. Fred Schroeder of Viola was here Tuesday.

Ray Bowser drove the livery to Sublette Wednesday.

B. J. Long motored to Mendota Tuesday.

Remember, May 30 is Memorial day and attend all the doings in West Brooklyn during that afternoon and evening.

GEE WHIZ! We Wonder How It Feels to Be So Modest.

A brother correspondent did not want us to publish our recent celebrated school tangle broadcast as he thought it bad enough that our people be laughed at at home. Well now, isn't the News a home paper and should it be no more than proper for that paper to explain to its readers why so many school elections were required? Could any interested tax payer expect us to sit at our desk like a dummy day after day and not inform them of the affairs regarding that important institution, the public school, and its officers? Is that what a home paper is for, to keep under cover the actions of its home people lest they be laughed at? We understand a newspaper mission differently. It is to furnish the news, not any particular news, but all it is able to gather for each issue. An article appeared in the Chicago Tribune regarding this school tangle and about the same time a similar trouble was being scattered through the columns of the Dixon dailies regarding another school tangle in the county. No one wasted time to criticize the authors of the articles. Now why should a brother writer center his criticism on us when we have simply done our duty as newspaper writers? We are glad it is done with a kindly spirit and so shall accept it and ask him to please accept our remarks in the same light.

He asks for news that will interest the tax payers. Does not the school and its directors interest any tax payer that has the good of the younger generation at heart? His criticism and idea of interesting news are slightly contradictory on this point. Further he asks us to say something about the recent opening of Water street and the placing of the Oregon Power company poles along this street which, he says, will interest the tax payers. His article leads one to believe that these two items were not in accordance with actions that are exactly just and proper. He adds, "The people are criticizing the board's action and are entitled to know the true facts," while referring to these two subjects. It appears to us that this is a smooth way of informing the people that he does not approve of this work as it was done by the city aldermen. Well now then, who did that street belong to? Who ordered the street opened? Who allowed the Oregon Power company to plant their line of poles along the street? The only answer is, "The tract of land now distinguished by the term of Water street has been the property of the village for about 30 years or ever since the incorporation of West Brooklyn." Didn't that village then have the right to fence it off from the neighboring pasture, at their own expense, and allow the public use of it? Did not the city aldermen have the authority to grant the Oregon Power company the right to plant their line of poles on village property? At any rate that is a matter to take up with the alderman and not to be quoting while criticizing the recent school tangle. He asked for some news regarding those two articles. We refer him to the issue of April 18th which told of the plan of the village to open up that street and of the granting to the Power company the right to establish their line of poles along this street. Then in the issue of April 28 we made mention of the fact that the street was opened and pointed out the many advantages and conveniences its opening afforded the traveling public.

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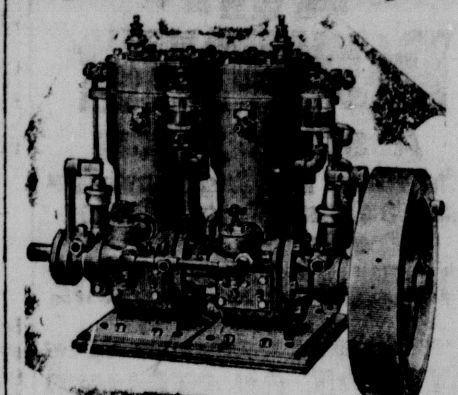
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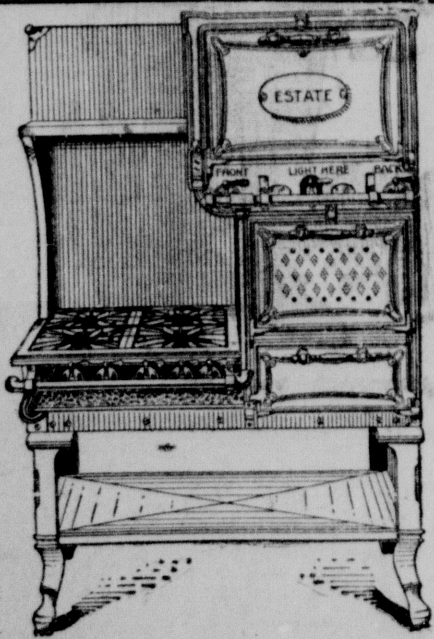
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Again in our issue of May 12 we published an article telling of the many praises and congratulations the city authorities were receiving from the people for their good work in opening the street. Of course if there should be anything about what the village has done that is not proper, please take the matter up with them and do not blame the correspondent of the W. B. News for it. As for being able to write up dances and base ball games in suitable form, we'll say that not everybody can even do this. The matter may not interest every individual reader, but please bear in mind that there are a great many readers of the News and that one or two of them might enjoy such items just as well as one or two might not enjoy to read them. You see, we try to get all the news of the various happenings in order that the news will be agreeable to all its patrons, and not to just a few. The News is a paper for all the people. It believes the opening of Water street was a grand move and sees nothing wrong with the allowing of the Oregon Power company to establish their line of poles along this street. Twenty-five people will praise their work where one knocks. Let us all be boosters for the good of West Brooklyn and you will find that the News will all the cause all it can.

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Wanted. All kinds of buildings to raise and move; prices right. Jack-screws to rent. John F. Bush, 76 College Ave. Phone 1055. 124

Wanted. A married man to work on farm. House, garden, milk and good wages. Phone 5220, Dixon. 94

Wanted. Girl for general housework. Call 1017 Highland Ave. Dixon, Ill. 11

Wanted. To rent a cottage at Assembly Park. Address B, this office 104

Women. Sell guaranteed hose, 70 per cent profit. Make \$10 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. Strong Knit. Box, 4029 West Philadelphia, Pa. 214

Family of two would like to rent a cottage at Assembly Park. Address Q. Care Telegraph. 151

Wanted. Competent girl for general housework; no washing; housecleaning completed. Mrs. W. C. Durkee, 718 Hennepin Ave. 161

Wanted. Girl to assist with housework and do cooking. Enquire at 606 E. Second St. 204

Male Help Wanted. Men: We have good positions waiting for you if you will learn the barber trade—now. Tools given. A card mailed to us will explain how to better your circumstances. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 136

Wanted. To buy carpet and stain carpet. Address D, General Delivery 213

Wanted. A man with a scythe to cut grass. Call Home Phone No. 5 or 992. 221

Wanted. Competent girl for general housework in cottage at Assembly park. Mrs. Tebbetts, Nachusa House. 226

Wanted. Girl or middle aged woman to work in restaurant. Seibert's Restaurant, 625 Depot Ave. 233

FOR SALE

For Sale. New covered wagon, suitable for delivery. J. E. Moyer, 203

For Sale. Five year lease of hotel and furnishings, centrally located and everything in good condition. Doing good business. Owner has other business that demands attention. Address X, Care Telegraph, Dixon, Ill. 161

For Sale. I have an excellent survey, a good single wagon, a cutter, some good ladders, mason tools and a saddle for sale. Please call at my residence, No. 420 N. Dement Ave., between 2 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon for further information. Mrs. Rosa Jordan. 1612

For Sale. A black mule, 12 years old. Sound. Call Home phone 38111. 185

For Sale. Farm of about 270 acres near Morrison, Ill. Well adapted for stock and dairy purposes. Within six miles of Libby, McNeill & Libby condensing factory. For particulars inquire of C. E. Stinton, Morrison, Ill. 6 mo

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For Sale. A fine building lot on West Third street; south front; about 1 1/4 acres. Just the place to raise chickens. Price very low if taken within a few days. For terms see J. N. Sterling, Opera Block. 531

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Butter 21
Lard 10
Potatoes 40
Dressed chickens 14
Oats 30
Corn 47

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Range of prices on Chicago Board
of Trade:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May - 99 1/2	99 1/2	99	99 1/2	99 1/2
July - 89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2
Sept - 88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
Corn—				
May - 45 1/2	55	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
July - 54	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Sept - 54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Oats—				
May - 54 1/2	55	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
July - 36	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	36
Sept - 35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Pork—				
July - 1500	1510	1495	1497	1500
Sept - 1450	1452	1442 1/2	1445	1450
Lard—				
July - 832	832	827	822	832
Sept - 840	840 1/2	827 1/2	832	840
Ribs—				
July - 802	807	797	797	802
Sept - 800	802	795	795	800

Hogs open 5 to 10 higher.
Left over—4,209.
Light—575-612 1/2.
Mixed—570-600.
Heavy—550-595.
Rough—550-570.
Cattle strong to shade higher.
Sheep steady.
Receipts today:
Hogs—11,000.
Cattle—1,000.
Sheep—10,000.
Hogs close 5 to 10c higher.
Estimated tomorrow—9,000.

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South Bound	
123 Sou. Exp.	10:34 a. m.
131 Clinton Exp.	5:00 p. m.
191 Amboy Frt.	9:50 a. m.
North Bound	
132 Ft. Dodge Exp.	9:50 a. m.
124 Local Mail	5:22 p. m.
192 Freeport Frt.	12:30 p. m.
Daily.	* Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon:

East Bound to Chicago		
No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:21 a. m. daily	6:45 a. m.
16	4:43 a. m. daily	7:20 a. m.
24	5:47 a. m. daily	8:35 a. m.
34	6:33 a. m. daily	9:20 a. m.
20	11:18 a. m. ex Sun	2:35 p. m.
*18	7:21 a. m. daily	10:15 a. m.
14	4:04 p. m. daily	7:25 p. m.
4	6:08 p. m. daily	8:50 p. m.
28	4:15 p. m. Sun	7:25 p. m.
8	8:33 a. m. daily	11:20 a. m.

Passenger to Peoria		
No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria
10	daily ex. Sun. Lv. Dixon 7:45 a. m.	
West Bound From Chicago		
No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
3	10:45 p. m. daily	1:52 a. m.
27	7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.	
13	7:00 a. m. ex. Sun	10:14 a. m.
5	10:00 a. m.	12:33 p. m.
19	12:30 p. m. ex. Sun	3:43 p. m.
17	4:35 p. m. daily	7:29 p. m.
11	6:05 p. m. daily	8:37 p. m.
25	7:10 p. m. daily	9:52 p. m.
7	10:17 p. m. daily	12:51 a. m.

*Sterling passenger.

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West Bound	East Bound
Read Down	Read Up
10:30/50 Assembly Park	20:50/10
13:33/53 Galena & Fellows	27:47/7
17:37/57 Galena & First	23:43/3
20:40/60 Office	24:40/60
30:50/10 Depots	10:30/50

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OAK RIDGE.

Oak Ridge, May 25.—Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Brooke of Dixon spent last week at the homes of friends and relatives here.

Mrs. T. G. Windsor of Gary, Ind., was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. W. C. Merritt.

Harry Huffman shipped cattle to Chicago Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Brooke of Dixon spent Sunday at John Young's home.

Harry Huffman shipped a car load of hogs Tuesday.

DeWitt Warner and wife and Mrs. Walter Mumma motored to Mt. Morris and Oregon Monday.

Mariam Pyfer is visiting in Grand Detour with her grandmother, Mrs. J. Mumma.

Mrs. I. Palmer is on the sick list at present.

Miss Myra Young spent the week end with her parents.

Mrs. Harry Huffman spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Longman.

Crops of all kinds are looking fine in these parts.

Mark Logan of Lee county was on the Ridge Sunday.

YESTERDAY

I meant, each brimming hour to send
That promised letter to my friend;
The moments flashed and broke like spray
And I forgot that all things end.
That golden hour was yesterday—
I cannot reach my friend today.

The sunlight burns, an April whiff,
In shadow I remember him;
The busy world hums merrily,
But as I work my eyes are dim—
He could have heard me yesterday,
He cannot answer me today!

He may have thought I did not care,
My friend so sensitive, so rare—
I failed him, I who loved him well!
Dear God, how do Thy children dare
To trifle with Thy gift, today—
That fades, so soon, to yesterday!
Elizabeth Newport Hepburn in New York Times.

JAPS MAY SEND ADMIRAL URYU

No Confirmation of Rumor that Uchida Is to be Recalled.

WASHINGTON AWAITS TIDINGS

There Seems Good Reason to Believe that Change Is Contemplated—Admiral Uryu Educated at Annapolis.

Washington, May 26.—Reports from Tokyo that the Japanese government intends to recall Baron Yasutya Uchida, its present ambassador here, and sent Vice Admiral Uryu as his successor cannot be confirmed here.

Neither the state department nor the Japanese embassy has any information on the subject.

It was admitted, however, that there is likelihood of a change in the Japanese embassy here. It is pointed out that Baron Komura, the Japanese minister of foreign affairs, who has been in ill-health for some time, will probably retire from his present office as soon as the negotiation of the conventions between Japan and the foreign powers are completed. Most of these conventions will become operative next July. The treaty between the United States and Japan has been ratified by both governments. Baron Komura's successor would, it is said, probably be inclined to send a new ambassador to this country.

While it would be unusual for the Japanese government to name a naval officer as ambassador to the United States, the selection of Uryu would, it is said, be especially pleasing to this government. Admiral Uryu was educated at the United States naval academy at Annapolis. He was a member of the class of 1881. His wife was one of the first Japanese women sent to this country to be educated years ago. She was graduated from Bryn Mawr.

PROCEEDINGS IN SENATE

Direct Vote, Lorimer and Publisher Lewis of St. Louis Are Prominent.

Washington, May 26.—The senate reached an agreement to take a vote on the house resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution for the direct election of senators before the adjournment of the senate on June 12. Meanwhile under the terms of the agreement the resolution will remain the unfinished business of the senate.

The expected disposition of the resolution for an investigation of the Lorimer case did not take place. Senator LaFollette did not get an opportunity to conclude his speech.

Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas made an attack on the postoffice department for the manner in which it had handled the case against E. G. Lewis, a St. Louis publisher. Senator Burton of Ohio made reply, likening Publisher Lewis' business schemes to "Colonel Sellers' ventures. The Ohio senator declared that the postoffice department should be commended instead of being condemned for its activity in protecting the public against speculative ventures.

Grosvenor Boosts for Taft.
Washington, May 26.—General Chas. H. Grosvenor, the "Sage of Athens," for many years a member of congress and such a famous political prognosticator that he was known as "Old Fingers," drifted around the capital, boosting Taft's presidential chances in 1912.

EMPEROR REPORTED SICK

Francis Joseph of Austria Is Subject of Disquieting Rumors.

Budapest, May 26.—Disquieting rumors regarding the health of the emperor are in circulation here. It is said that he is afflicted with calcification of the arteries and frequently is seized with spells of dizziness.

In Prague the editions of the newspapers Bohemia and Union, in which the rumors were printed, have been seized. The rumors are denied.

FOUND GUILTY OF HERESY

Presbyterian General Assembly Condemns Rev. Wm. D. Grant.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 26.—Rev. William D. Grant, the Northumberland clergyman, has been found guilty of heresy by the judicial commission of the Presbyterian general assembly.

It is said the Pennsylvania clergyman will be given a chance to return to the Presbytery should he recant on the counts upon which he has been found guilty.

Canada Seeks Russian Immigration.

Ottawa, May 26.—An organized campaign to induce a great flow of Russian immigration into the Canadian west has been started by the Canadian immigration department and the Canadian Pacific railroad.

WITNESSES FOR DEFENSE HEARD

State's Evidence in Nye Bribery Case Is All In.

BLOT CRAWFORD'S CHARACTER

No Testimony Is Presented Connecting State Printer with Vote-Selling in Adams County, as Was Hinted.

Columbus, O., May 26.—The defense in the trial of Representative Nye of Pike county on the charge of soliciting a bribe placed on the stand a number of witnesses to impeach the character of the prosecuting witness, State Printer E. A. Crawford. The state has completed the presentation of its evidence.

These included men who had been connected with Crawford in politics and also Ellis Rhoades, a Brown county farmer. They testified that the reputation of Crawford for veracity was not of the best. Rhoades, among others, asserted that he wouldn't believe Crawford under oath. He was forced, however, to admit that his enmity toward Crawford was due to a debt he owed the state printer and that Crawford had won a law suit against him.

Probate Judge Cableman of Pike county, who testified that he had been a friend of Dr. Nye several years; Edward Donovan, also of Pike county, a deputy marshal, and Otha Blake of Adams county were others whose evidence reflected upon Crawford's character.

Nothing was brought out connecting Crawford with Adams county vote selling corruption, as was intimated the previous day in questions directed at Crawford while on the stand. Judge Kinhead then barred the questions and followed up the ruling with a second one to the same effect.

Representative B. F. Kimball, whose gerrymander bill is alleged to have been the basis of the Nye bribery charges, testified that Dr. Nye came to his seat in the state house one day and said that for \$1,000 the gerrymander "could be put over." Kimball's memory failed him when pressed with questions on many points. T. C. Coyle of Spencerville, former bill clerk in the senate, testified that Nye told him on April 28 that a certain man could be approached on the Behrman canal bill, "if he (Coyle) had the money."

"If you get the money we can kill the bill," was Dr. Nye's further statement, according to Coyle.

In the senate investigation considerable time was taken up by lawyers arguing in a justice court over the arrest of two editors and an attorney who refused to testify before the committee. Chairman Todd of the committee said that the Ohio press was vengeful.

WEATHER FORECAST

Illinois and Indiana—Fair and continued warm today and probably tomorrow; light to moderate southerly winds.

Wisconsin—Fair and warm today; unsettled, probably showers and slightly cooler tomorrow; light to moderate variable winds.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Chicago Cash Grain Quotations.
Chicago, May 25.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 98 1/2¢@99 1/2¢; No. 3 red, 94 1/2¢; No. 2 hard winter, 98 1/2¢@99 1/2¢; No. 3 hard winter, 94 1/2¢; No. 1 northern spring, 1.00@1.01; No. 2 northern spring, 1.00@1.01; No. 3 spring, 92 1/2¢. Corn—No. 2, 54 1/2¢@55 1/2¢; No. 2 yellow, 54 1/2¢@55 1/2¢; No. 3, 53 1/2¢@54 1/2¢; No. 2 white, 53 1/2¢@54 1/2¢; No. 3 white, 53 1/2¢@54 1/2¢; standard, 54 1/2¢@55 1/2¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts 20,000. Quotations ranged at \$5.75@5.80 choice heavy, \$5.60@5.65 choice light, \$5.65@5.80 heavy packing, and \$5.60@5.90 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 4,500. Quotations ranged at \$6.20@6.30 prime steers, \$4.40@4.50 good to choice beef cows, \$5.35@5.85 good to choice heifers, \$5.60@5.75 selected feeders, \$5.00@5.70 fair to choice stockers, \$7.75@8.25 good to choice light calves.

Sheep—Receipts 16,000. Quotations ranged at \$6.85@7.15 good to choice light lambs, \$5.60@6.00 good to choice yearlings, \$4.65@4.85 good to choice ewes.

Live Poultry.

Creamery, extra, 21¢ per lb.; prints, 23 1/2¢; extra firsts, 20¢; firsts, 18¢; dairies, extra, 19¢; firsts, 17¢; packing stock, 14 1/2¢.

Potatoes.

Choice to fancy, 38¢@40¢ per bu.; fair to good, 35¢@37¢; new potatoes, \$1.17@1.25.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 2 cars; market steady. Hogs—Receipts 15 cars; market strong; heavy, \$6.25; Yorkers and pigs, \$6.40. Sheep—Receipts 10 cars; market steady; clipped lambs, \$8.00; yearlings, \$8.75@9.00; ewes, \$4.75@5.00; ewes, \$4.00@4.50. Calves, \$4.50@7.50.

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CORRAL'S RESIGNATION READ

Last Official Act of Diaz Is Letter
Breathing Love of His Country and
Hope that His Character May
Be Justly Esteemed.

City of Mexico, May 26.—President Diaz has resigned. A letter to that effect was sent to the chamber of deputies and by that body accepted, and there was not a voice raised in dissent or protest.

The announcement of the acceptance was received in grim silence. This was in strong contrast to the uproar, almost rioting, which filled the chamber a few hours before while the populace outside was clamoring for Diaz's resignation.

The resignation of Vice President Ramon Corral was read following the letter of General Diaz. It was also accepted and then the chamber of deputies formally chose Minister of Foreign Affairs Francisco Leon De La Barra as provisional president to serve until a general election can be held. Senor De La Barra was sworn in at noon today.

There was no rioting and the noisy, laughing, happy crowds on the streets are reminiscent of the streets of a college town after a glorious victory on field or river.

Here is the letter which Diaz, for so many years the "strong man" of Mexico, the dictator with the title of president, wrote as his last official act:

"Sir—The Mexican people who generously have covered me with honors, who proclaimed me as their leader during the international war, who patriotically assisted me in all works undertaken to develop industry and the commerce of the republic, establish its credit, gain for it the respect of the world and obtain for it an honorable position in the council of nations; the same people has revolted in armed military bands, stating that my presence in the exercise of the supreme executive power was the cause of this insurrection.

"I do not know of any facts imputable to me which could have caused this social phenomenon, but permitting, though not admitting, that I may be unwittingly culpable, such a possibility makes me the least able to reason out and decide my own culpability. Therefore, respecting, as I have always respected, the will of the people and in accordance with article 82 of the federal constitution, I come before the supreme representatives of the nation in order to resign, unreservedly, the office of constitutional president of the republic with which the nation honored me, which I do with all the more reason since, in order to continue in office, it would be necessary to shed Mexican blood, endangering the credit of the country, dissipating its wealth, exhausting its resources and exposing its policy to international complications.

"I hope, gentlemen, that when the passions inherent to all revolutions have been calmed, a more conscientious and justified study will bring out in the national mind a correct acknowledgement, will allow me to die, carrying engraved in my soul a just impression of the estimation of my life, which throughout I have devoted, and will devote to my countrymen.

"With all respect,
"PORFIRIO DIAZ."

The ringing of the cathedral bells throughout the city and the firing of cannon followed the proceedings in the chamber. The crowds in the streets almost went wild over the signal announcement of the triumph of the revolution.

All the federal troops in Mexico City have been placed under the control of Madero's personal representative, Don Alfredo Robles Dominguez. There is a rumor that General Diaz and his family will go to France inside of ten days.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT

Negro Assaulter to be Given Orderly Trial in Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., May 26.—Acting under orders from Governor Brown, Adjutant General A. J. Scott ordered out four companies of the National Guard to escort Tom Allen, a negro, to the courthouse in Monroe, Walton county, when he is placed on trial on the charge of criminally assaulting a white woman. The troops will remain in Monroe during the trial.

The negro was brought here after the outrage to prevent a lynching. Threats were made to lynch the negro when he was returned to Monroe.

College Boys Win Strike.
Ada, O., May 26.—Four of nine students expelled from Ohio Northern university because of a prize fight, were reinstated by President A. E. Smith, following a strike of 800 students. The others will not be reinstated.

Divorcee Kills Himself.
Janesville, Wis., May 26.—When the divorced wife of Charles Andrews refused to return to him, he committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas.

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ELOPES WITH NURSE
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NOTICE is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Nachusa, County of Lee and State of Illinois, on the second day of June, A. D. 1911, at the hour of Two o'clock p. m., at the Town Hall in the Village of Nachusa, for the constructing of macadam roads in said Town to be located as follows:

FIRST—To complete the macadamizing of the road running south through the center of Section Seven (7) in Township Twenty-one (21) North, Range Ten (10) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian from the present termination of the macadamizing upon said road to a point about 220 rods South of the South line of the Village of Nachusa, thence continuing such macadamizing on said road to the South line of said Section Seven (7), a distance of about 100 rods.

SECOND—After completing the aforesaid work in said Section Seven (7), then beginning at the West boundary of the said Township of Nachusa at the Half Section corner between Section Twenty-five (25) in Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Nine (9) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian and Section Thirty (30) in Township Twenty-two (22) North, Range Ten (10) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, County and State aforesaid, thence running Easterly on the public highway running through the center of said Section Thirty (30) so far as the balance of money on hand for such purpose will complete such macadam road.

The construction of said roads will be let by contract publicly to the lowest bidder at the time and place aforesaid, the undersigned reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Plans and Specifications of the work to be done on said roads can be seen at the office of George Weyant, Town Clerk of said Town.

Dated at Nachusa this 11th day of May, A. D. 1911.

E. D. WEIGLE,
JOSEPH FELDKEIRCHNER,
G. H. KILLMER,
Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Nachusa, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

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